

2020 Intensive Care Registrar

About Monash Health

Monash Health is an impressive organisation of seven public hospitals, 21 community health sites, five aged care facilities, university affiliated international research and tertiary education. We provide healthcare for the entire lifespan from pre-birth to palliative care and all stages in between, and we have recently opened the new 230-bed Monash Children's Hospital.

About Monash Doctors

There are more than 900 Junior Medical staff positions at Monash Health in over 200 medical specialties, to help grow your career. We offer unparalleled opportunities in Victoria's largest & most clinically diverse teaching health service.

About Adult Intensive Care

We offer a highly stimulating and enjoyable work environment, with active and dynamic teaching programs. We have a strong track record with successful preparation and support for both Part 1 and Fellowship exams. In addition we have a strong Research Program, affiliated with ANZICS and Monash University, which offers a wide variety of opportunities.

The Monash Medical Centre Intensive Care Unit is a 26 bed, Level III facility, accredited for C24/unrestricted general training, as well as Neurosurgical and Cardiothoracic accreditation. The Monash site provides a state-wide Obstetrics Intensive Care service, a renal/renal-pancreas transplant service and a comprehensive range of medical and surgical subspecialty services. An ICU based Rapid Response Service provides 24 hour support (including MET/Code Blue services) to the hospital. The Unit offers the opportunity to learn Critical Care Ultrasound and point of care echocardiography.

About the Role

Provide safe and high quality person-centred care for patients under your care

- *Ensure coordination of care for patients in your unit*
- *During normal working hours, be responsible for the immediate clinical care of the patients in the ICU including;*

- the taking of the history from the patient, the patient's relatives or friends

- the examination of the patient

- conduct relevant investigations, liaison with para-clinical departments and appropriate communication with the primary referring specialist. The last is particularly important in the matter of complex, expensive or hazardous procedures.

- The formulation of a diagnosis and execution of a management plan

- The performance or supervision of those procedures relevant to the management of the patient and in which the Registrar has been adequately trained

- *During after-hours work;*

- the Registrar will participate in the after-hours roster. The clinical responsibilities will be similar to those during the day.

- in accordance with the guidelines of the College of Intensive Care Medicine, the Registrar may act in a Consultant role during these periods. There will however always be a consultant on-call to provide help or advice during these periods.

- *Clinical responsibilities for patients outside the ICU;*

- the Registrar will be required to attend the Anaesthetic Recovery room, Medical Emergency Team and Code Blue calls, the hospital wards and the Emergency Department to assist in the assessment and immediate management of seriously ill patients. Such attendance will include assessment of the patient for suitability for ICU admission. Such assessment will include communication with the patient's primary caring physician/surgeon and team as well as the duty ICU Consultant.

- the Registrar will liaise with the ICU Consultant and the ED Admitting Officer in relation to admission to the ICU of patients referred from outside the hospital.

- *Ensure timely and clear clinical communication including clinical handover with regards to patients under your care*
- *Ensure timely escalation of care related issues to your consultant when required, in accordance with Monash Health and Monash ICU escalation policies.*
- *In your clinical practice demonstrate commitment to quality and safety and Monash Health's "Patient first" initiative.*

About you

In this paragraph describe the type of professional candidate you are seeking. Include sentences like "you are an experienced", "you demonstrate the ability to", "ideally you will possess".

What we offer

Successful applicants will be appointed to work in the Intensive Care Unit at Monash Medical Centre

There are a number of positions available that may be offered to suitable candidates for a complete

Intensive Care training package, encompassing Level II and III Intensive Care training, as well as

Anaesthetics and General Medicine.

There may be opportunities for suitable candidates to gain future paediatric ICU experience in the adjoining

Monash Children's Hospital Paediatric Intensive Care Unit

Monash Health will offer:

- - competitive salary
- - salary packaging
- - friendly and supportive culture
- - opportunity to experience various teams
- - on-going supervision and professional development

Monash Health recognises the value of equal employment opportunity and is committed to patient safety and promoting fairness, equity and diversity in the workplace. At Monash Health we are relentless in our pursuit of excellence and work to our six guiding principles.

Preferred candidates will require a clear Police Check and a current Working with Children's Check prior to any offers of employment being made.

As part of our selection process, you may be invited by email to participate in an on-camera video interview.

Please note, applications will be accepted via the Monash Health online Mercury System only. Email applications will not be considered.

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